

Announcements

- 1) Quiz 1 tomorrow
over Calc 1 material
- 2) Review problems on
Canvas under "Files"

What is calculus good for?

Solving differential equations

What is a differential equation?

An equation involving an unknown function and its derivative(s)

Example 1: $\frac{dy}{dx} = x^2 + 1$

$y =$ unknown function

To get y , integrate both sides with respect to x :

$$\int \frac{dy}{dx} dx = \int (x^2 + 1) dx$$

$$y + C = \frac{x^3}{3} + x + D$$

$$y = \frac{x^3}{3} + x + (D - C)$$

Let $D - C = Q$

$$y = \frac{x^3}{3} + x + Q$$

Moral: you only need one
arbitrary constant (in this
class)

Example 2: (Newton's Law of Cooling)

Change in temperature in an object proportional to the difference between the temperature of an object and the ambient temperature.

Simplifying assumption: ambient temperature T is constant

Change in temperature = instantaneous rate of change

Let $x(t)$ denote the temperature of the object at time t .

"proportional" means "a constant multiple of"

Let $k =$ the constant of proportionality

Newton's Law of Cooling

$$\frac{dx}{dt} = k(x(t) - T)$$

Can't directly integrate both sides! Because we don't know $x(t)$, so we can't calculate

$$\int x(t) dt$$

Try to solve: divide by

$x(t) - T$ on both sides:

$$\frac{1}{x(t) - T} \frac{dx}{dt} = k \quad \text{Try integrating.}$$

$$\int \frac{1}{x(t) - T} \frac{dx}{dt} dt = \int k dt$$
$$= kt + C$$

Let $v = x(t) - T$, $dv = \frac{dx}{dt} dt$.

Integral becomes

$$\int \frac{1}{v} dv$$

What is $\int \frac{1}{u} du$?

$$u \neq 0$$

Concentrate on $u \geq 1$.

Form the function

$$\int_1^x \frac{1}{u} du = \ln(x)$$

Log property :

$$\ln(a^b) = b \ln(a) \quad (a \geq 1, b > 0)$$

Verify this property for

$$\int_1^x \frac{1}{u} du \quad : \quad \text{show}$$

$$\int_1^{a^b} \frac{1}{u} du = b \int_1^a \frac{1}{u} du$$

Let $b = \text{constant}$, $a = \text{variable}$.

Differentiate both sides with respect to a .

By the Fundamental Theorem
of Calculus, the right-
hand side is

$$\begin{aligned} & \frac{d}{da} \left(b \int_1^a \frac{1}{u} du \right) \\ &= b \left(\frac{d}{da} \left(\int_1^a \frac{1}{u} du \right) \right) \\ &= b \cdot \frac{1}{a} = \frac{b}{a} \end{aligned}$$

Again using Fundamental Theorem,

$$\frac{d}{da} \left(\int_1^{a^b} \frac{1}{v} dv \right)$$

$$= \frac{1}{a^b} \cdot \frac{d}{da} (a^b)$$

$$= \frac{1}{a^b} \cdot b \cdot a^{b-1}$$

$$= \frac{1}{\cancel{a^b}} \cdot b \cdot \cancel{a^b} \cdot \frac{1}{a}$$

$$= \frac{b}{a} \quad \checkmark$$

This shows that two functions
have the same derivative,
so they differ by a constant:

$$\int_1^{a^b} \frac{1}{u} du - b \int_1^a \frac{1}{u} du = C$$

$C =$ constant for all
values of a & b .

Choose $a=1$:

$$\underbrace{\int_1^1 \frac{1}{u} du}_0 - b \underbrace{\int_1^1 \frac{1}{u} du}_0 = C$$

So $C=0$ ☺

So we know $\ln(x)$ exists for

$$x \geq 1, \quad \frac{d(\ln(x))}{dx} = \frac{1}{x}$$

For $0 < x \leq 1$

$$\ln(x) = - \int_x^1 \frac{1}{u} du$$

$$= \int_1^x \frac{1}{u} du$$

= same as before

There is a number e with

$$\ln(e) = 1. \quad \text{Then using}$$

$$\text{log rule } \ln(a^b) = b \ln(a),$$

$$\ln(e^x) = x \ln(e) = x$$

So $f(x) = e^x$ is the **inverse function** to $\ln(x)$

Rules: For all real numbers a & b ,

$$e^{a+b} = e^a \cdot e^b \quad e^0 = 1$$

$$e^{ab} = (e^a)^b$$

Derivative: $x = \ln(e^x)$

Differentiate both sides wrt x
and use the chain rule:

$$\frac{d}{dx}(x) = \frac{d}{dx}(\ln(e^x))$$

$$1 = \frac{1}{e^x} \cdot \frac{d}{dx}(e^x)$$

multiply both sides by e^x :

$$e^x = \frac{d}{dx}(e^x)$$

Example 3:

$$\int \tan(x) dx$$
$$\left(-\frac{\pi}{2} < x < \frac{\pi}{2}\right) = \int \frac{\sin(x)}{\cos(x)} dx$$

$$u = \cos(x)$$

$$du = -\sin(x) dx$$

We get

$$-\int \frac{1}{u} du = -\ln(u) + C$$

$$= \boxed{-\ln(\cos(x)) + C}$$

Example 4:

$$\int_0^2 \frac{x^2 (10 \sqrt{x^3+1})}{\sqrt{x^3+1}} dx$$

$$\text{Let } u = \sqrt{x^3+1} = (x^3+1)^{1/2}$$

$$du = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 3x^2 \cdot (x^3+1)^{-1/2} dx$$

$$= \frac{3}{2} \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^3+1}} dx$$

$$\frac{2}{3} du = \frac{x^2}{\sqrt{x^3+1}} dx$$

$$u(0) = \sqrt{0^3+1} = 1$$

$$u(2) = \sqrt{2^3+1} = \sqrt{9} = 3$$

The integral becomes

$$\frac{2}{3} \int_1^3 10^u \, du$$

What is $\int 10^u \, du$?

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Write } 10^u &= e^{\ln(10^u)} \\ &= e^{u \ln(10)} \end{aligned}$$

Substitute one more time!

$$\text{Let } w = u \ln(10)$$

$$dw = \ln(10) \, du, \text{ so}$$

$$\frac{1}{\ln(10)} \, dw = du$$

$$w(1) = \ln(10)$$

$$w(3) = 3 \ln(10) = \ln(1000)$$

We get the integral

$$\frac{2}{3} \frac{1}{\ln(10)} \int_{\ln(10)}^{\ln(1000)} e^w dw$$

$$= \frac{2}{3 \ln(10)} e^w \Big|_{\ln(10)}^{\ln(1000)}$$

$$= \frac{2}{\ln(1000)} (1000 - 10)$$

$$= \frac{2 \cdot 990}{\ln(1000)} = \boxed{\frac{1980}{\ln(1000)}}$$

Example 5: (the only hard derivative)

$$f(x) = x^x$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Write } x^x &= e^{\ln(x^x)} \\ &= e^{x \ln(x)} \end{aligned}$$

Differentiate:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{d}{dx} (x^x) &= \frac{d}{dx} (e^{x \ln(x)}) \\ &= e^{x \ln(x)} \frac{d}{dx} (x \ln(x)) \\ &= x^x \left(x \cdot \frac{1}{x} + \ln(x) \right) \\ &= \boxed{x^x (1 + \ln(x))} \end{aligned}$$